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Examiner-Initiated Interview Summary	Application No. 10/681,081	Applicant(s) UEYAMA, TERUHIKO
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All Participants: _____ **Status of Application:** _____

(1) JUSTIN P. MISLEH. (3) _____.

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Date of Interview: 11 December 2009

Time: _____

Type of Interview:

- Telephonic
- Video Conference
- Personal (Copy given to: Applicant Applicant's representative)

Exhibit Shown or Demonstrated: Yes No

If Yes, provide a brief description: _____.

Part I.

Rejection(s) discussed:

N/A

Claims discussed:

1 (*Exemplary*)

Prior art documents discussed:

N/A

Part II.

SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW DESCRIBING THE GENERAL NATURE OF WHAT WAS DISCUSSED:

See Continuation Sheet

Part III.

- It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview directly resulted in the allowance of the application. The examiner will provide a written summary of the substance of the interview in the Notice of Allowability.
- It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview did not result in resolution of all issues. A brief summary by the examiner appears in Part II above.

/Justin P Misleh/
Primary Examiner, Art Unit 2622

(Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature – if appropriate)

Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was discussed:

The Examiner contacted the Applicant to discuss the status of the case and to make suggestions that would bring the case closer to being in condition for allowance. The Examiner recommended that claims be amended to incorporate specific features from figures 3 and 5. Applicant and Examiner agreed to be in communication until the next Office Action. .